

News Notes and Gossip of the Day In the Smart Set of Washington

Items of Interest and Importance of Past, Present, and Future Among Official and Fashionable Folk.

The handsome home of Mrs. Charles Grayson Dulin, in K street, will be in festive array with Southern amaranth, palms and quantities of pink roses when Mrs. Dulin entertains at tea this afternoon to present her daughter, Miss Beatrice Dulin, to society.

A basket of Killarney roses, with pink shaded candles in silver candelabra will form the decorations of the tea table, and Miss Dulin and her mother will receive before a screen on which the flowers sent the debutante will be arranged.

Mrs. Dulin will wear a white chiffon gown, embroidered in silver roses, and Miss Dulin's frock is a modish creation of white tulle, combined with silver brocade. The skirt is made in the prevailing bouffant fashion and the bodice is of tulle and pearl passementerie. She will carry orchids and lilies of the valley.

Mrs. Dulin and Miss Dulin will be assisted by Mrs. Thomas Watt Gregory, Mrs. Hampton Gary, Mrs. Joseph B. Lebrill, of Texas; Mrs. James H. Glenn, Mrs. Edwin H. Tillman, Mrs. John M. Culp, Mrs. W. C. Harlee, Mrs. Murrough Kelly, and Mrs. Lauterbach, of New York; Mrs. Jules Guttridge and a group of young girls. Miss Jane Gregory, Miss Lucy Burleson, Miss Mercedes Godoy, Miss Margherita Tillman, Miss Suzanne Chase, Miss Elizabeth Chase, Miss Ruth Lester, Miss Marie Sims, Miss Elie Lejeune, Miss Lillian Hendrick, Miss Dorothy Bennett, Miss Marjorie Helmhold, and Miss Lillian Sutton, of Austin, Tex., who is spending the month of December with Miss Dulin.

The tea will be followed by an informal supper party and dance for the receiving party and a number of men. Tomorrow evening Mrs. John M. Culp will entertain at dinner at the Chevy Chase Club in compliment to Miss Dulin and Miss Sutton.

Mrs. Daniels, wife of Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy, was the honor guest at a luncheon which Mrs. Ross Thompson gave today. The other guests were Mrs. John W. Foster, Mrs. David Jayne, Mrs. John W. Post, Mrs. John W. Davis, Mrs. Arthur W. Wood, Mrs. Charles Wood, Mrs. Joseph E. Thompson, Mrs. A. Downing, Mrs. Theodore Noyes and Mrs. John A. Hoogewerf.

The Japanese Ambassador and Mme. Chinda will be the guests of honor at the dinner which the Secretary of War and Mrs. Lindley Miller Garrison will give on the evening of December 15. Secretary and Mrs. Garrison will entertain again at dinner on December 21.

Miss Agnes Wilson, who has been in Rossburg, Pa., for several weeks, will return to Washington next week.

Mrs. Hughes Olmsted will be hostess at a tea on Friday afternoon, December 17, from 4 to 7 o'clock, at her apartment at the Ontario in compliment to Mrs. Peter Wheeler, of California, who is spending the winter in Washington.

The Secretary of State and Mrs. Lansing were the guests in whose honor the Third Assistant Secretary of State and Mrs. William Phillips entertained at dinner last evening. Those invited to meet them were Senator and Mrs. Francis Newman, Senator Henry F. Hollis, Congressman and Mrs. Richard D. Blair, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Field, Mr. and Mrs. R. Fulton Cutting, of New York; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Choate, of New York; Robert Woods Bliss, secretary of the American embassy at Paris, and Mrs. Bliss; Mr. and Mrs. John W. Halliwell, of Boston, and Leland Harrison.

One of the most interesting parties of the evening will be the dance which Mr. and Mrs. Hampton Gary are giving at their residence in Nineteenth street, in compliment to Mrs. Jane Gregory and her house guests, Miss Mary Taylor and Miss Mary Bryan, of Texas.

Among the guests from Washington who attended the first Monday German in Baltimore last evening were Count J. A. Z. van Rechteren Limpure, of the Netherlands legation; Mr. de Hedri, of the Austro-Hungarian embassy; Maj. Gen. and Mrs. George B. Loring, and Miss Helen McCumber, daughter of Senator McCumber, who was the guest of Miss Ellen Roach; Miss Lillian Hendrick, who was with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hendrick; Mr. and Mrs. Elaine Perkins; Mr. and Mrs. Marion Parker; Major and Mrs. John Pussell; P. S. M. C. Mr. Constantinid, of the Greek legation; Miss Catherine Burdette, daughter of Mrs. J. J. Valentine Morgan, and John Delbert. Miss Lenthall Gifford and Miss Amy Gifford, of New York, have been frequent visitors in Washington as the guests of Miss Edith Gracie, also were guests at the German in company with their mother, Mrs. John Parkin Gifford, and Miss Rachael Perrine, of Trenton, whose mother, Mrs. Louis Perrine, formerly was Miss Adèle Slacie, of Washington, was among the most popular debutantes present.

The Japanese ambassador will entertain some forty guests at dinner this evening in compliment to Baron Elchi Shibusawa, the distinguished Japanese financier and banker. Those invited to meet Baron Shibusawa include a number of men prominent in the official and resident circles of Washington.

Miss Margaret Wilson will attend the benefit bazaar and tea dance today at the home of Mrs. Edson Bradley, Connecticut avenue and Dupont Circle. She is much interested in the success of the benefit, which is given by Mrs. Bradley for the poor of Washington.

Members of the Cabinet and many members of official and resident society attended the reception and private view held at the Corcoran Gallery-Pilest night at the annual exhibition of the National Association of Portrait Painters.

Mrs. Champ Clark entertained a party in the Speaker's gallery yesterday for the opening of Congress. With her were Mrs. Stanley McCormick, Miss Helen Cannon, daughter of Joseph G. Cannon, Mrs. James R. Mann, Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, Miss Elizabeth Booth, Secretary of the woman's branch of the Navy League, and Miss Kate Gordon. Mrs. Frederick L. Child, the wife of Congressman Childette of Massachusetts, and Mrs. Henry Lippett, wife of Senator



MISS BEATRICE DULIN, a debutante of today.

Many Entertainments Are Planned by the Leaders of Society in Washington. Gossip of Hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Mack, of Buffalo, with their daughter and son, Miss Harriet Mack and Norman Mack, Jr., have arrived at Washington, and are at the Willard to remain until after the meeting of the national Democratic committee. Mrs. Thomas Taggart will arrive today from Indianapolis and join Mr. Taggart, who also is stopping there.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Belmont entertained at dinner last night at the Ritz-Carlton, in New York city.

John R. K. Scott, the new member of Congress from Philadelphia, and Mr. and Mrs. C. Scott, also of Philadelphia, are at the Willard. The members of the Bar Association of Philadelphia entertained at luncheon yesterday at the Willard for Congressman Scott after he had taken the oath at the Capitol.

The Russian Ambassador and Mme. Bakmeteff went to Philadelphia yesterday to attend a Russian concert. They will return tomorrow.

Mrs. Hobart, wife of Col. Charles Hobart, U. S. A., will give a bridge party Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Dewitt, wife of Capt. J. L. Dewitt, will entertain a number of guests at bridge Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. William H. Reynolds is entertaining at a bridge party of six tables this afternoon at her apartment in the Woodley. Among the guests are Mrs. John S. Morris, Mrs. Dwight Aultman, Mrs. E. S. Townsend, Mrs. Dowdy, Mrs. Jesse Rumsburg, Mrs. Frank Cochen, Mrs. E. D. Anderson, Mrs. William D. Beach, Mrs. A. L. Mills, Miss Crofton, Miss Jane Austin, Mrs. Charles Walcott, Mrs. John M. Evans, Mrs. J. L. Dewitt, Mrs. L. W. Townsend, Miss Critcher, Mrs. P. D. Lochridge, Mrs. Frances S. Dodge, Mrs. W. H. McClure, Mrs. Barry E. Osborne, Mrs. W. H. Franklin, Mrs. Kenney Roth, and Mrs. Silas Wolf. Additional guests have been invited for tea. Mr. Aultman and Mrs. E. S. Townsend will preside at the party. (Continued on Page Fourteen.)

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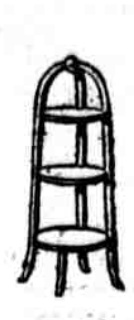
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A Man's Hearth, by Eleanor Ingram\$1.25
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The Little Bird, by Maurice Hewlett\$1.35
One of the really important contributions of the year to English literature.

The Foolish Virgin, by Thomas Dixon\$1.35
The story of a whirlwind romance in which a beautiful girl marries, after an acquaintance of only two weeks, and discovers on her honeymoon that her husband is a criminal.

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